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AMOUNT, DURATION AND SCOPE OF ASSISTANCE LIMITATIONS (cont'd.)

4. a. **Nursing Facility Services**

Provided in Virgin Island facilities with prior authorization to recipients twenty-one (21) years or older who meet nursing facility level of care as determined by the Medicaid Agency.

4. b. **Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment of Eligible Individuals Under 21 Years of Age and Treatment of Conditions Found**

Limited to services provided in Department of Health facilities or Hospital and Health Facilities Corporation facilities. Except that, with prior authorization from the Medicaid Agency, recipient may receive services from other providers (both on-island and off-island) that have a signed provider agreement with the Medicaid Agency.

The Virgin Islands Medicaid program meets the requirements at Section 1905.R of the Act that all medically necessary diagnosis and treatment services will be furnished (including organ transplants) to Early and Periodic Screening, Diagnosis and Treatment (EPSDT) recipients, to treat conditions detected by period and interperiodic screening services even if the services are not included in the State Plan.

c. **Family Planning Services**

Limited to services provided in Department of Health facilities except that, with prior authorization from the Medicaid Agency, recipient may receive services from other providers that have a signed provider agreement with the Medicaid Agency. All medically necessary family planning services will be provided to both women and men in order to allow them to determine the number and spacing of children. The range of services provided includes all medically indicated procedures, devices and prescriptions, including but not limited to birth control pills, implants, injections, vasectomy procedures, condoms, etc. The Virgin Islands Medicaid program does not cover fertility treatments.

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3. Other Laboratory and X-ray Services

Limited to medically necessary services provided by Department of Health or Hospital and Health Facilities Corporation facilities and personnel. Other Virgin Islands providers may provide laboratory and X-ray services with prior authorization from the Medicaid Agency so long as the providers have signed provider agreements with the Medicaid Agency and they are certified to meet the requirements of Section 42CFR 493, in accordance with the Clinical Laboratory Act of 1988 (CLIA).

With prior authorization from the Medicaid Agency, recipients may receive medically necessary services from qualified laboratory or X-ray service providers outside the Virgin Islands, when test services are not available in Virgin Island facilities. Qualified laboratory or X-ray service providers are those that are enrolled in the State's Medicaid program and are certified to meet the requirements of Section 42CFR 493, in accordance with the Clinical Laboratory Act of 1988 (CLIA).

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